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Applicant: HACKMAN et al.

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Appl. No.: 10/689, 951

Group: 3744

Filed: October 22, 2002

Examiner: M. M. Ali

For: AUTOMATIC LN2 DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM FOR HIGH-PURITY GERMANIUM MULTI-DETECTOR FACILITIES

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May 15, 2006

REQUEST FOR AN ORAL HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Sir:

Applicants hereby respectfully request an oral hearing before the Board of Appeals for presenting an argument in connection with the above-identified application.

A check in the amount of \$300.00 is attached for the fee for filing a request for an Oral Hearing before the Board of Appeals.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0750 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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